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Inventor(s):
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Title: IP Virtualization

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Examiner: Chankong, Dohm
Group/Art Unit: 2152

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

(under 37 CFR § 1.114)

This is a request for continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of application number 09/680,559, filed on October 5, 2000, entitled IP Virtualization.

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Application Elements

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6. Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 for Extension of Time

7. Other: _____

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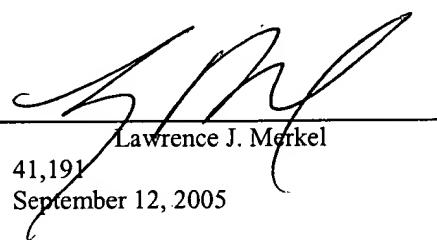
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